

# *Catopalian History*

*The recorded history of a micronation.*

## **PREPARED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF AQURIA-CATOPOLIS**

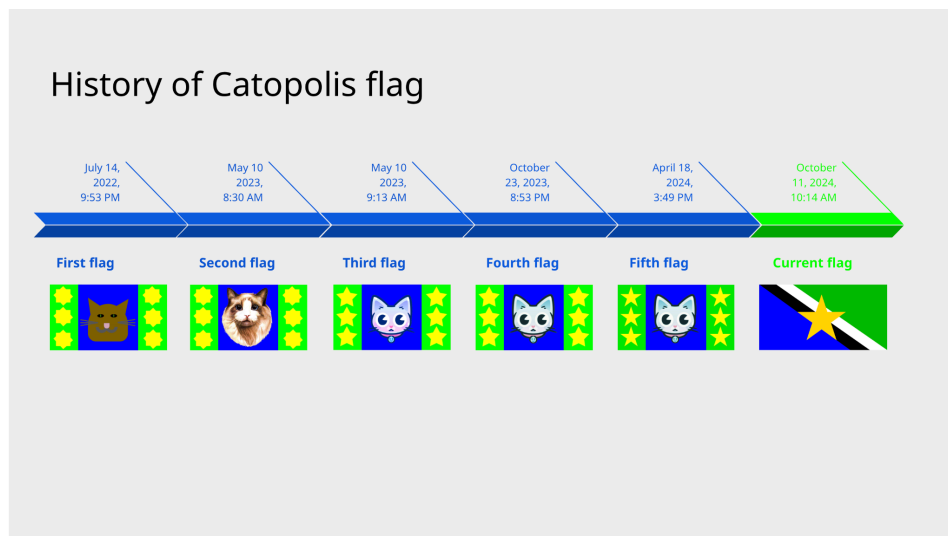
Catopolis, then the national district of Catopolis in the URAC, then Aquria-Catopolis. This document is the complete record of this country's history, recorded as these events happen. Some details are omitted for various reasons.

### **Foundation and Early Days of Catopolis**

On the 14th of July, 2022, Catopolis was founded. Originally, the entire idea of the country was contained within a Google Slides slideshow, which can be viewed at [https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1N2HBwuZUnnDXyDeZfo\\_Nh734AivEL3YgGxoAP09MvOU/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1N2HBwuZUnnDXyDeZfo_Nh734AivEL3YgGxoAP09MvOU/edit?usp=sharing)

The first slide: the Catopalian flag.

The second: a timeline of flags.



*The second slide: The History of the Catopalian Flag.*

The third has an image and a description of the Catopalian Royal Family.

The fourth has the lyrics to the old national anthem of Catopolis.

The fifth has some short facts.

The sixth lists the provinces and their capitals.

Slides seven to twelve have the original designs of the Catopalian provincial flags, which were made in haste and have since been replaced by more fitting and better designs.

Slide thirteen shows a list of customs.

Finally, slides fourteen to seventeen show some companies of Catopolis. Notably, slide seventeen has a number of logos for joke companies.

## **Foundation of NACA**

On the 4th of November, 2022, the National Administration of Catopolis for Aeronautics (NACA) was founded.

## **The Catopalian Government's Entry to the Scratch (<https://scratch.mit.edu>) Platform and Admission into the UMNS**

On the 9th of September, 2023, the Catopalian prime minister, on the Scratch account @catsrthebestever (which he had created before Catopolis), posted the project 'Catopalian Companies,' which showed the logos of all the aforementioned joke Catopalian companies. It may be viewed at <https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/874947692/>. This project was the first of the Catopalian Government's activities on Scratch.

Later, in April of 2024, the @Catopolis\_Government Scratch account was created, to focus more on Catopalian affairs.

On the 15th of July, 2024, after discovering the United Micronations of Scratch (UMNS) organisation (at <https://scratch.mit.edu/studios/34172977/>), Catopolis applied to join, and was accepted.

## **The First Constitution of Catopolis**

On the 26th of July, 2024, the Government of Catopolis released the first version of Catopolis' Constitution. It was a modified version of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms, but had several typos. It was later replaced with a much more revised version with many improvements and some changes.

## **The First Alliances of Catopolis**

On the 27th of July, 2024, Catopolis allied with the Republic of Sillyland (@Repub-Sillyland. Website: <https://republicofsillyland.wixsite.com/sillyland>).

Later that day, the Federative Republic of Equaria (@Axolovo, @TrouNoirBlue and currently @Aquria\_Gov) allied with both Catopolis and Sillyland. This formed the Pact of Steel, later the Pact of Corbus (<https://scratch.mit.edu/studios/35473526>).

## **First Website**

On the 1st of August, 2024, inspired by the Republic of Sillyland's website, the first Catopalian Government website was created (<https://catopolisgov.wixsite.com/catopolis-gov>).

## **Alliance with Nejron**

On the 17th of August, 2024, Catopolis allied with the Democratic People's Republic of Nejron. (<https://scratch.mit.edu/users/cc2324-8/>)

## **Catopolis' Admission to the MEM**

On the 24th of August, 2024, Catopolis applied for membership of the Mega Ensemble of Micronations (MEM, <https://scratch.mit.edu/studios/34484145/>). In October of that year (exact date forgotten), the application was accepted.

## **Rocket Launch by NACA**

On the 1st of September, 2024, NACA launched its first rocket—the Catopolis Alpha III (CA3).

## **Coats of Arms**

On the 5th of October, 2024, the Government of Equaria designed the Catopalian Royal Family's coat of arms.

The next day, the Kingdom of Somu's government designed the Catopalian National Coat of Arms.

## **Flag Change and Vote**

On the 5th of October, 2024, the Government of Catopolis held a vote for the new flag of Catopolis. There were two similar designs—one with a star, and the other without—on which to be voted.

The final vote was 8–13, the design with the star winning.



**VOTE!**  
Design 1 - With star

Votes: **13**



Design 2 - Without star

Votes: **8**

*The flag vote's final result, 8-13, the design with a star winning. <https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/1077338426/>*

Thus, the flag was changed.

### **Change of National Anthem**

On the 14th of October, 2024, the national anthem of Catopolis was changed from 'Do You Hear the People Sing' to 'The Internationale.' (The date of the change from the first national anthem to 'Do You Hear the People Sing' is unknown.)

### **Creation of the CATS**

On the 20th of October, 2024, the Catopolis Agency for Transportation Safety was created. Its purpose was to create reports about transportation incidents (e.g., plane crashes). It has a website at <https://uracgov.wixsite.com/cats>

### **Creation of the CDC**

On the 20th of October, 2024, the Catopolis Defence Corps was created.

### **Discovery of the UMNS Foundation Date**

For much of the UMNS' history, its foundation date was not known. This was because the creator of the UMNS' first Scratch account had been banned and all of that information was contained inside that account's data.

On the 18th of November, 2024, the Government of Catopolis conducted some research and found the founding date to be the 6th of October 2022.

### **Foundation of the UMNS University**

After finding the UMNS' founding date, at the suggestion of the government of Britnordica, the 'UMNS University' was founded. It mostly conducted research about the UMNS. (<https://scratch.mit.edu/studios/35951148/>)

### **Renaming of NACA**

On the 14th of December, 2024, NACA was renamed to the Catopolis Aeronautics Technology Administration (CATA).

### **Provincial Flags Change**

On the 20th of December, 2024, the Catopalian provincial flags were all changed to more fitting designs. (<https://scratch.mit.edu/projects/1113301439/>)

### **Personal Union of Aquria (former Equaria) and Catopolis**

In December of 2024, the Aqurian government proposed a personal union with Catopolis, which would strengthen democracy and boost legitimacy. On the 26th of December, 2024, it was made official when the new constitution was ratified. The personal union was called the United Republics of Aquria-Catopolis (URAC). (The Constitution may be viewed at <https://uracgov.wixsite.com/urac/urac-constitution>.)

### **New Website**

After the creation of the URAC, the Government of Catopolis created a new website at <https://uracgov.wixsite.com/urac>.

## Creation of the IMU

On the 18th of January, 2025, Catopolis formed the Inter-Micronational Union (IMU). (<https://scratch.mit.edu/studios/36186332/>).

## Death of Queen Nala

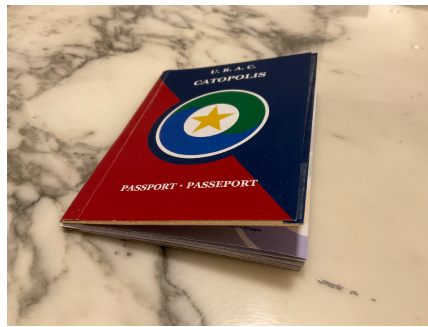
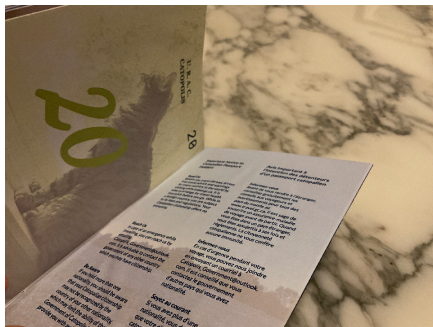
On the 29th of January 2025, Her Majesty Queen Nala passed away. Her successor is Her Majesty Queen Lily. ([https://youtu.be/K8If\\_Vfl9Ys?feature=shared](https://youtu.be/K8If_Vfl9Ys?feature=shared))

## Creation of the CMDF

On the 1st of February, 2025, the Catopolis Maritime Defense Force (CMDF) was created.

## Catopolis Passport

In March of 2025, the Government of Catopolis started manufacturing Catopalian passports.



*Images of a sample Catopalian passport. The 20th page and inside of the back cover (left), and the cover (right).*

## Creation of CATAN

On the 22nd of March, 2025, the Catopolis Agency for Technological Advancement in Nautics (CATAN) was created.

## Full Union

Aquria proposed a full union. On the 26th of April, 2025, it was made official and declared by proclamation.

## *A Proclamation*

FOR the unification of the countries of Aquria-Catopolis: Aquria, and Catopolis.

**W**HEREAS, by an act of the Parliaments of Aquria and Catopolis, passed on the twenty-fifth day of April, two thousand and twenty-five, intituled, “An act for the unification of the countries of Aquria-Catopolis: Aquria, and Catopolis; and for purposes connected therewith,” in section two enacts that, “It shall be lawful for the Prime Ministers of the countries of Aquria, and of Catopolis, to declare by proclamation, that on and after the day therein appointed, not being more than 1 month after the passing of this act, the countries of Aquria-Catopolis: Aquria, and Catopolis shall form and be one dominion under the name of the United Republics of Aquria-Catopolis; and on and after that day those two countries shall form and be one dominion under that name accordingly.”

**We, therefore,** have thought it fit to issue this our Official Proclamation and we do ordain, declare, and command that on and after the twenty-fifth day of April, two thousand and twenty-five, the countries of Aquria, and Catopolis, shall form and be one dominion, under the name of the UNITED REPUBLICS OF AQURIA-CATOPOLIS.

*The proclamation declaring the creation of the United Republics of Aquria-Catopolis.*

## **Renaming of Agencies + New Websites**

Following the Union:

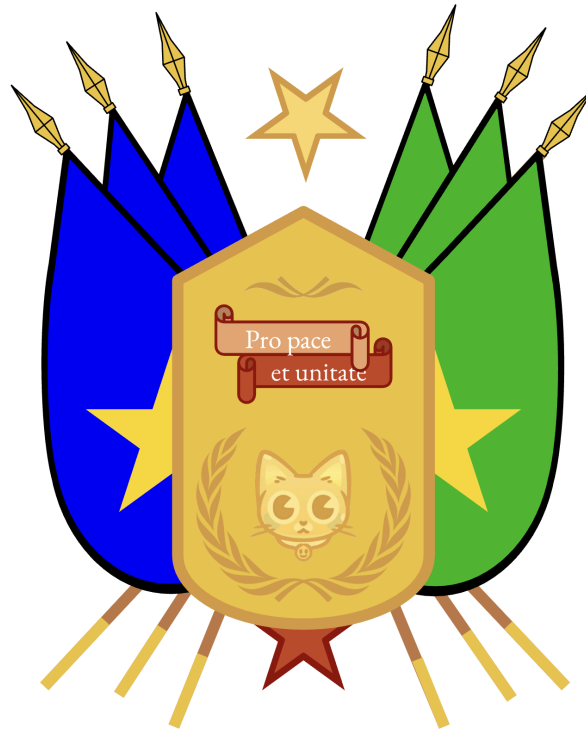
On the 8th of May, 2025, the Aquria-Catopolis Organisation for Aeronautics (ACOA) was established; it was a merger of CATA and Aqurian Space and Air Travel (ASAT).

On the 9th of May, 2025, the CATS was renamed to the Aquria-Catopolis Agency for Transportation Safety (ACATS).

## **New Coat of Arms**

On the 9th of June, 2025, the Catopalian National Coat of Arms was changed.





*The new National Coat of Arms. 'Pro pace et unitate.' ('For peace and Unity.')*

## **Catopolis Navy First Deployment**

On the 17th of July, 2025, the Catopolis navy was deployed for the first time as a patrol.

## **Meowton Election**

On the 17th of July, 2025, the first Meowton provincial election was held. The winner was the European Parliament Party candidate.

## **Formation of Aquria-Catopolis**

In July of 2025, the Government of Aquria (the national district of) informed the Government of Catopolis (the national district of) that Aquria was on the verge of collapse due to the loss of citizens and subsequent failure of democracy and the duchy systems.

As a solution, a new constitution was proposed and ratified on the 25th of July, 2025, where Aquria became a province of Catopolis, and that country was renamed to Aquria-Catopolis. Thus it was made so. The URAC was abolished and replaced with Aquria-Catopolis. The abbreviation 'URAC' remains in use.

The Constitution may be viewed at <https://uracgov.wixsite.com/urac/constitution>.

## *A Proclamation*

FOR the preservation of democratic values and systems, and for the unification of the national district of Aquria and the national district of Catopolis.

**W**HEREAS, by an act of the Parliaments of the United Republics of Aquria-Catopolis, passed on the twenty-fifth day of July, two thousand and twenty-five, intituled, "An act for the preservation of democratic values and system; and the implementation of Aquria into Catopolis; and for purposes connected therewith," in section two enacts that, "It shall be lawful for the Prime Minister of the national district of Aquria, and Prime Minister of the national district of Catopolis to declare by proclamation, that on and after the day therein appointed, not being more than 1 month after the passing of this act, the national district of Aquria shall become and be a province of Catopolis, thereby forming one country; and on and after that day, that country shall be under the name of Aquria-Catopolis, thereby abolishing the United Republics of Aquria-Catopolis."

**We, therefore,** have thought it fit to issue this our Official Proclamation, and we do ordain, declare, and command that on and after the twenty-fifth day of July, two thousand and twenty-five, the national district of Aquria shall become a province of the national district of Catopolis, which shall form and be one country, and that country shall be under the name of AQURIA-CATOPOLIS.

*The proclamation declaring the formation of Aquria-Catopolis.*

### **New Coat of Arms**

On the 2nd of August, 2025, the new Aqurio-Catopalian Coat of Arms was created.



*The new Coat of Arms of Aquria-Catopolis.*

### **State Seal of Aquria-Catopolis**

On the 2nd of August, 2025, the State Seal of Aquria-Catopolis was created.



*The State Seal of Aquria-Catopolis.*

### **Creation of the ACMF**

On the 2nd of August, 2025, the CMDF was replaced by the Aquria-Catopolis Maritime Forces (ACMF).